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SUBJECT: SENTENCING OF KIEV HELSINKI MONITORS

1. WIRE SERVICES (AP, REUTERS) ON MARCH 30 CARRIED REPORTS OF THE SENTENCING OF KIEV GROUP MEMBERS MIROSLAV MARINOVICH AND MYKOLA MATUSEVICH IN A TRIAL WHICH APPARENTLY BEGAN ON MARCH 23 AT VASILKOV SOUTH OF KIEV. ACCORDING TO THE REPORTS BOTH RECEIVED THE MAXIMUM SENTENCE, SEVEN YEARS OF LABOR CAMP PLUS FIVE YEARS' EXILE, ON CONVICTION FOR ANTI-SOVIET AGITATION/PROPAGANDA.

2. DEPARTMENT IS RECEIVING A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF INQUIRIES FROM CONGRESSMEN AND PUBLIC SEEKING CONFIRMATION AND DETAILS OF THE REPORTS. REQUEST ANY INFORMATION ON THIS EMBASSY MAY BE ABLE TO DEVELOP. COOPER

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